Meetings

1. A meeting was held each month, alternating between formal business meetings in the evening and informal afternoon meetings.

2. At each meeting an interesting program was presented, the purposes of the various programs being the dissemination of information about the growth and habits of hibiscus, the recognition of the various hibiscus, and the use of the blossoms in attractive arrangements.

3. Guests were welcomed at each meeting, and a door prize of a hibiscus plant was awarded each time.

4. Though the informal Sunday afternoon meetings gave wide opportunity for visitation and acquaintanceship, the December meeting was the social highlight of the year, being planned as a Christmas party.

5. Members brought blossoms for display and identification to each meeting.

Special Committee Work

1. For the first time the Mid-Florida Chapter had a yearbook this past year. The committee in charge produced a most comprehensive and attractive edition, including national and local officers and committee chairmen, the A. H. S. and local by-laws and constitution, the chapter roster, meeting dates and places, programs, etc.

2. A complete revision of the local by-laws gave the chapter an excellent and specific document of organization under which to op-

erate, replacing the rather loose and inadequate by-laws that had been far outgrown.

Show

1. The annual hibiscus show last August was the first one to be put on entirely by the Mid-Florida Chapter without the assistance of a cooperating organization. It was well-attended and proved successful from the standpoint of general attractiveness and public interest. Too, it more than carried itself from the financial angle.

2. The enthusiasm of the membership and the diligent planning of the committee heads did much to make the chapter a closer knit working organization.

The willingness and the interest of the present membership plus the projected plans for an ever-growing organization indicate continued success for the Mid-Florida Chapter under the excellent leadership of the new officers.....Sarah Goodman,
Retiring Chairman.

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NORTH FLORIDA CHAPTER

March Meeting - The members of the North Florida Chapter were just recovering from a rather severe cold spell that did some damage to the Hibiscus in this section of Florida. Since we have somewhat of a dormant period (more so than most sections of the State), our activities were confined to short business and social meetings. We were honored in March by the visit of the Executive Secretary, Mrs. C. H. Calais. At the conclusion of the business meeting Mrs. Calais